

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Claims 1 to 23 (Cancelled)

24. (Currently Amended) An isolated nucleic acid molecule ~~comprising~~consisting of a polynucleotide sequence selected from the group consisting of:

(a) an isolated polynucleotide encoding a polypeptide corresponding to amino acids 1 to 625 of SEQ ID NO:2~~-including the start codon~~;

(b) an isolated polynucleotide encoding a polypeptide corresponding to amino acids 2 to 625 of SEQ ID NO:2~~-minus the start codon~~;

(c) an isolated polynucleotide encoding the HLRRS11 polypeptide as encoded by the cDNA clone contained in ATCC Deposit No: PTA-2679;

(d) an isolated polynucleotide encoding the HLRRS11 polypeptide as encoded by the cDNA clone contained in ATCC Deposit No: PTA-2674; and

~~(e) an isolated polynucleotide encoding a polypeptide having at least 437 contiguous amino acids of SEQ ID NO:2, wherein said polypeptide has NFkB modulating activity;~~

(f) an isolated polynucleotide which represents the ~~complementary~~complementary sequence ~~(antisense)~~ of (a), (b), (c), (d), and (e).

25. (Previously Presented) The isolated nucleic acid molecule of claim 24, wherein said polynucleotide is (a).

26. (Previously Presented) The isolated nucleic acid molecule of claim 25, wherein said polynucleotide consists of nucleotides 75 to 1949 of SEQ ID NO:1.

27. (Previously Presented) The isolated nucleic acid molecule of claim 24, wherein said polynucleotide is (b).

28. (Previously Presented) The isolated nucleic acid molecule of claim 27, wherein said polynucleotide consists of nucleotides 78 to 1949 of SEQ ID NO:1.

29. (Previously Presented) The isolated nucleic acid molecule of claim 24, wherein said polynucleotide is (c).

30. (Previously Presented) The isolated nucleic acid molecule of claim 24, wherein said polynucleotide is (d).

31. (Cancelled)

32. (Cancelled)

33. (Previously Presented) The isolated nucleic acid molecule of claim 24, wherein said polynucleotide is (f).

34. (Currently Amended) A recombinant vector ~~comprising~~consisting of the isolated nucleic acid molecule of claim 24.

35. (Currently Amended) A recombinant host cell comprising the vector ~~sequences~~ of claim 34.

36. (Previously Presented) A method of making an isolated polypeptide comprising:

(a) culturing the recombinant host cell of claim 35 under conditions such that said polypeptide is expressed; and

(b) recovering said polypeptide.

37. (Currently Amended) The isolated polynucleotide of claim 24 wherein said nucleic acid sequence ~~further~~ comprises a heterologous nucleic acid sequence, wherein said heterologous nucleic acid sequence encodes the Fc domain of immunoglobulin.

38. (Cancelled)

39. (Cancelled)

40. (Cancelled)

41. (Cancelled)

42. (Cancelled)

43. (Cancelled)

44. (Cancelled)